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In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97-1.98, and supplemental to the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on September 4, 2001, Applicants hereby submit the following documents previously called to the Examiner's attention:

"Neural Networks An Introduction" by B. Muller, J. Reinhardt and M.T. Strickland, pages 201-205 and 238-245. This document is cited at pages 14 and 16 of the specification;

"Neural Networks and Simulations Methods" by J. K. WU, published 1994, pages 313-316. This document is cited at page 15 of the specification;

"Applied Cryptography: Protocols, Algorithms and Source code in C", published in 1996, pages 321-346. This documents is cited at page 17 of the specification; and

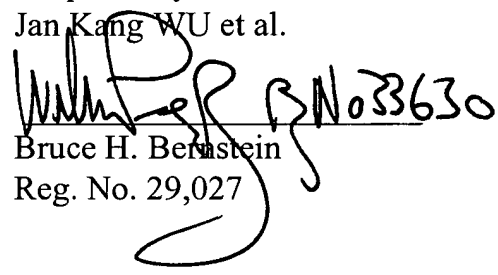
"Digital Picture Processing" by A. Rosenfeld, published 1982, pages 173-177. This document is cited at page 10 of the specification.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider and cite the above materials. Copies of the above-noted documents are attached and have been listed on a PTO-1449 Form which is also attached hereto. The other document (HARRIS AND STEPHENS) Cited previously will be forwarded if and when it becomes available to Applicants' representatives. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached PTO-1449 Form and to return a copy of the Form to the Applicants with the next official communication in the present application to confirm consideration of the documents submitted with this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below listed telephone number.

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